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PATENT APPLICATION

Docket No. 16169.5

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of		)
	Yasuhiro Saito et al.	)
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Serial No.:	10/532,538	) Art Unit
		) 1792
Filed:	August 17, 2005	)
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Conf. No.:	9290	)
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For:	GLASS SUBSTRATE FOR INFORMATION	)
	RECORDING MEDIUM AND METHOD	)
	FOR MANUFACTURING SAME	)
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Examiner:	Anita Karen Alanko	)
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Commissioner for Patents

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Dated this 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2008.

Respectfully submitted,

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